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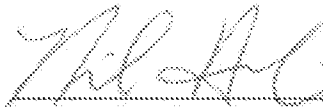
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Serial No. :	10/662,266	Examiner :	Jes Pascua
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		Notice of Allowance Date:	
Title :	RECLOSABLE BAG WITH EXPANSION GUSSET		

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed December 28, 2006, attached is a completed issue fee transmittal form PTOL-85b. The fees in the amount of \$1700 for the issue fee (\$1400) and the publication fee (\$300) are being paid concurrently herewith on the Electronic Filing System (EFS) by way of Deposit Account authorization. Please apply all charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing Attorney Docket No. 05918-212001.

Respectfully submitted,

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